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## MILK ORDINANCE FINALLY TAKEN UP BY COUNCIL

Passes First Reading And Is  
Referred Back to Ordinance Committee.

### INSTANCE HEALTH BOARD

Matter of Crossings Thoroughly Discussed And Law Will Be Enforced.

At the instance of the Board of health the borough council last night at their regular meeting took up the milk ordinance which has been prepared and on the table for several months. The ordinance passed first reading and was placed in the hands of the ordinance committee for revision. This ordinance calls for the licensing of dairymen in Charleroi for the selling of milk, and regulates the sanitary arrangements of the stables and barn where the cows are kept.

The treasurer's report was read and accepted. The summary of it follows:

Balance from last report \$4,296.06

Receipts 1,418.84

Total 5,714.90

Disbursements 3,824.06

Balance 1,890.84

The Burgess' report showed that there had been 48 hearings, fines of \$61.00 imposed, and \$61.00 paid.

The Tax collectors report showed that there had been turned over to the treasurer for 1908 taxes \$20.65, 1907, \$174.77 and 1906, \$1,464.77, making a total of \$1,660.19. Liens for 1906 taxes to the amount of \$159.90 have been filed. The total of uncollected duplicate is \$9,018.86. For 1906 the amount is \$1,235.14, 1907, \$1,043.69 and for 1908, \$5,210.03. A motion was made and carried that the tax collector be notified to file his list of exonerations for the year 1906 by March 1, of 1907 by April 1 of 1908 by May 1.

The matter of the collections of liens against some property on Crest avenue for paving was taken up and placed in the hands of the Borough solicitor to collect at once.

Attorney Sharpless was present representing Mrs. Sarah Osborne in regard to a claim for damages on Crest avenue, where paving work had damaged her property. Mr. Sharpless was willing to compromise the matter, and it was placed in the hands of the accounts and claims committee to confer with the borough solicitor.

The matter of crossings over side walks in various parts of town was brought up, and the street commissioner was instructed to notify all parties having curb boards, to replace them with the proper kind of crossings.

On motion it was carried that the borough clerk instructed to notify the Charleroi Water company to fix a gate at once on Fifth street that had become in bad condition.

The matter of a building permit for the new Piper building on Fifth street was taken up and the clerk was authorized to collect the amount due.

A verbal petition was presented from Mr. Sam. Claybaugh for a walk crossing the street on Lincoln avenue, near his blacksmith shop. This was granted, and a walk is to be laid.

Bills were paid last night to near the amount of \$1,500, leaving at the month's end a balance in the treasury of about \$300.

During a part of the meeting last night at the wish of President Jones, Councilman Frew assumed the chair.

## COUNCILMAN MAKES CHARGES AGAINST LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER AT MEETING

Surprise Sprung Which Seems  
To Have Originated From  
Late Primary.

### HEALTH BOARD TO MEET

A statement was made in council last night which for a time gave promise of an exciting war and which is not as yet entirely devoid of its sensational character. This was concerning Health Officer Darby, the statement being made in a motion by Councilman J. K. Hein, which was seconded by Councilman Schmieler that Mr. Darby had not been attending to his duties, but instead on election day had been seen on the corner of Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue talking politics for two hours, and saying things which were not to say the least complimentary to other candidates for Burgess than Mr. Frank Bly whom it was stated Mr. Darby was promoting. Brought about as it was with Mr. Darby present and some of the members of the Health Board, including the President, Mr. Boblitt, it naturally occasioned great surprise, and the opinion was manifest that it was an entirely a personal matter.

The motion made by Messrs. Hein and Schmieler was that the pay of Mr. Darby be removed. No explanation was made until Mr. Darby petitioned for such, then it was stated that he was charged with standing on the street corners talking politics and running down some candidates for office, and upholding others, in strenuous terms—and other things. Just what the "other things" were it was not stated, with the exception that Mr. Darby is in some way charged with not being a partisan entirely with the borough in the water company matter, and it is said, stated things not agreeable to the ears of the council concerning this and "other matters." After the bombshell had been cast, there was quiet for a time, until some of the members of council recovered from their apparent surprise, then Mr. Frew arose, and stated along with other remarks that he thought there was a little haste being exercised in the matter, and that it should be held over until later.

Following this Rev. Boblitt, the president of the Board of Health obtaining permission to speak stated that the council did not have jurisdiction in this matter, and the Board of Health were given all power to remove the Health officers or to state to him his duties. Rev. Boblitt suggested that the matter be held over and that the complainants appear before the Board of Health and make their complaint, when action would be taken by the proper officials. It is stated that the Health Board will stand back of the officer, for they last night before the meeting of council at their session commended him for his faithfulness and good work.

The meeting of the Board at which time the case will be taken up has been arranged as Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## REPORTS STATE THAT LEWIS IS ELECTED

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 1.—President Lewis of the United Mine Workers won a victory today over his enemies when the national convention by a vote of more than two to one approved his policy in respect to the Indiana miners. Lewis suspended the district officers of that state, closed the Hudson mine against the strikers to work, and refused to recognize the officers when they rebelled against his authority.

## INSPECTORS TO PASS ON DONORA BRIDGE

Theodore J. Allen, of North Charleroi; Joseph A. Herron, of Monongahela; and William B. Chambers, of Canonsburg, have been appointed inspectors to pass upon the point county bridge just completed over the Monongahela between Donora and Webster. They will act in conjunction with the three inspectors appointed by the court of Westmoreland county.

## CALIFORNIA MAN DROWNED BY FALL FROM THE STEAMER TWILIGHT

Board of Health Will Issue  
Soon a Book of Regulations

At a meeting of the Board of Health last night it was decided that a book containing the sanitary regulations of the borough of Charleroi be issued, and distributed among the people. A committee to arrange this book was appointed consisting of the J. F. Bowman, R. S. Phillips and H. C. Boblitt. This book is to be issued something after the order of that which was distributed at Monessen some time ago, and to give the people a further insight into the regulations of the Health Department.

Health Officer Darby was commended unanimously by the board for his efficient work and the faithful performance of his duties. Mr. Darby's work has been entirely satisfactory to the board, and they took this means of expressing their appreciation. There were two contagious diseases reported quarantined, one of scarlet fever, and one of measles.

Rev. H. C. Boblitt was appointed to meet with council last night and seek to have the milk ordinance passed, as had been prepared several months ago.

The usual number of bills were passed upon.

Bert Hornbake, A Well  
Known Man, Victim Of  
Sad Accident.

### LIVED WITH HIS MOTHER

Bert Hornbake, of California, a well known man was drowned last night by falling from the boat Twilight at Duquesne. Mr. Hornbake has for sometime been employed on this boat, and was a trusted man. The details of the accident cannot be learned, beyond that related above, and that the body was found at 9 o'clock this morning. Mr. Hornbake was a man of between 35 and 40 years of age, and single.

The body will be brought home from Duquesne this evening or early tomorrow morning, probably on the nine o'clock train this evening. Mr. Hornbake lived with his mother Mrs. Libby Hornbake in California. He has a brother William living at California and one sister Mattie living at the same place.

The California people and the many acquaintances of Mr. Hornbake along the valley are extremely sorry to hear of the death of this esteemed man.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF COUNTY

The county commissioners have issued their statement giving the indebtedness of Washington county under date of January 4, 1909. The total indebtedness on the four per cent court house and jail bonds of the issue of 1898 is \$383,000, the last of these bonds maturing August 1, 1926. On four per cent court house and jail bonds of the issue of 1901 the total indebtedness is \$285,000, the last bonds maturing December 31, 1930.

The total indebtedness of the county is as follows:

Court house and jail improvement bonds.....\$ 667,000  
Road improvement bonds..... 19,000.00  
Bridge bonds..... 225,000

Total.....\$1,242,000  
The assets of the county are given below:

Balance in treasury January 4, 1909:

General fund.....\$ 52,033.68  
Funded debt fund..... 14,500.00  
Road improvement fund..... 19,000.00  
Donora Bridge Bonds..... 17,000.00  
Monongahela bridge fund..... 125,000.00

Total.....\$227,533.68  
Outstanding taxes estimated  
Collectable.....\$32,500.00

The valuation of all taxable property in the county by the last adjusted valuation was \$17,858,781. By the valuation of 1909, not yet finally adjusted, the valuation of taxable property will approximate in amount about \$108,000.00.

## Some Doubt About Shadow Being Seen

It is a matter of extreme doubt whether Bro'r Groundhog saw his shadow today. The animal was ready and waiting, and wanted to do his duty, but Old Sol stood in the way. As a result we may expect to be relieved of the frapped weather in the next six weeks.

## SWINDLERS HAVE BEEN OPERATING IN CHARLEROI

It seems that there have been swindlers making their way throughout the borough and North Charleroi during the past few days, stating that they are representatives of the Charleroi Poor Committee, and desire to receive goods from sympathetic people which is ostensibly to go to the aid of the suffering in this place. The poor committee have got wind of this, and through the columns of the Mail desire to warn the people against giving anything to such people, as no representatives have been sent out as yet. If there are to be any persons sent out the people will be notified in due time.

## Games for The Championship of Western Pa.

A series of seven games have been arranged with the Monongahela Polo team, by the local bunch, for \$300 a side, to be played in the near future, the first match to be in Charleroi on Wednesday evening of this week. The locals will go to Monongahela on Friday.

A change in the management of the local team has been made, Mr. Edmunds who brought the team here having been forced to sever his connection with the team. The team will now be run by the players themselves, and thought that in this way a better article of polo will be put up for "here is more incentive. The series of games will no doubt cause a great deal of interest in the game in this town, and the rivalry will be intense.

## APPLICANTS FOR LICENSE ARE HEARD

License court will hold today or tomorrow if the same pace is kept up as characterized yesterday's hearings. Although there were many tilts between the attorneys for the applicants and those representing the Anti-Saloon League, great speed was made.

When William R. Gaut, of Charleroi was called, he presented a petition containing 735 names. Mr. Gaut said he has a hotel which cost him \$37,000, and that during the month of December he averaged 71 meals a day and that his hotel rooms were always occupied. He stated that almost 200 persons signed his petition without solicitation. R. H. Rush, cashier of the First National Bank and a number of other well-known men of Charleroi, testified as to the necessity of Mr. Gaut's saloon and hotel.

Berdell Clutter is a business visitor today in Pittsburg.

## MIGHT BE GOOD IDEA TO OFFER A NICE REWARD

It is the generally thought that the woman who was found dead along the river shore a week ago Sunday was murdered and nearly all evidence points to that fact. Considering that this was the case, would it not be wise for the County Commissioners to offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of the one who committed the deed. As it is the officers can not give their best efforts to the capture of the person on account of the necessary expense, and time, but if a reward was offered there would be more for which to work, and some incentive.

## REPORT OF LOCK 4 SHIPMENTS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY

The statement of the shipments of coal for the past month, furnished the Mail today by the Lockmaster at Lock 4, is nearly four million of an increase over that of last year. Thus the shipments for the first year bid fair to be representative of what is to come in the future months. In the year 1908 there were not nearly as large shipments through Lock 4 as there were the preceding year, there being nearly 50,000,000 of a decrease. But for the first month of 1909, the figures are higher than either those of 1908 or 1903.

The shipments of coal through the lock for the month totaled 17,237,000 bushels. This compared with the same month in 1908 of 13,506,000, makes an increase over that month of 3,732,000 bushels.

There were locked down river during the month 1,614 crafts, consisting of barges, boats and flats. There were locked up river 1,532 empties.

The rivermen think that as a whole that the report of the month of January is excellent. This shipment for January is better than for any single month in 1908, although not reaching up to records in 1907 which was rather an exceptional year.

Rivermen are cheerful over the outlook for the spring trade and the general indications are that the coming spring and summer will see a period of unusual activity in the coal business of the river shipping mines.

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thanks, etc., 5 cents per line.

LEGAL NOTICES—Legal, official  
and similar advertising, including  
that in settlement of estates, public  
sales, live stock and estray notices,  
bank notices, notices to teachers, 10  
cents per line, first insertion; 5 cents  
a line, each additional insertion.

## Local Agencies

Geo. S. Night, Charleroi  
Clyde Collins, Speers  
M. Dooley, Dunlevy  
J. A. Mason, Lock No. 4, Pa.

## Feb. 2 in History.

1848—Treaty of peace between the  
United States and Mexico signed  
at Guadalupe; end of Mexican  
war.

1908—Manuel, second son of King  
Carlos, proclaimed ruler of Portu-  
gal.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:15, rises 7:03; moon sets  
6:16 a. m.; moon highest or farthest  
north; 1:46 p. m., moon in conjunction  
with Neptune, passing the planet from  
west to east.

## GOOD EVENING.

A single lie will choke out the  
prettiest crop of confidence that a  
fellow ever cultivated. Exchange

## Don't Kidnape Your Boy.

Many a boy has gone to bed in  
tears because his father criticized or  
denounced his effort at playing the  
violin; made fun of a simple little  
composition or story which he wrote;  
discouraged his attempt to make some  
little mechanical device, or threw a  
wet blanket on his dreams, laughing  
at his prediction of what he would do  
in the future;

A man who has recently come into  
great prominence in his profession  
says that when tremblingly, he told  
his father what he wanted to be, he  
was told that a padded cell was the  
only place for a boy with such crazy  
ideas, and that he was forced for  
years to do that which God had for-  
bidden in every fiber of his being, and  
against which every drop of blood in  
him protested.

The father who has made up his  
mind that his son must continue his  
business and keep his estate intact, is  
not in a position to decide on the  
boy's bent—his special aptitude. He  
is prejudiced at the very outset.

The reason why there are so many  
mediocre men and women in the  
world, and so many failures, is be-  
cause they never found their right  
places.

Everywhere we see men and women,  
capable of much better things, who  
were discouraged and diverted from  
their natural bent when young. Their  
own families did not take stock in  
them; they laughed at their young  
ambitions, and strangled their aspira-  
tions, either by harsh treatment, or,  
what is even worse, ridicule, and  
their teachers did not understand  
them.

You cannot read the sealed message  
which God has wrapped up in your  
boy or girl, and you should regard it  
as sacred. You should respect the  
dreams of future greatness of your son,  
because the Creator may have intended  
him for a grand and far-reaching  
mission. You cannot tell what is  
going on in his mind; you cannot tell  
what possibilities are locked in his  
brain. He may be perfectly con-  
scious at this moment that he was in-  
tended for a much higher place in the  
world than you are occupying your-  
self, and to denounce him, to scoff  
at his dreams, to laugh at his predic-  
tions for the future may be a source

of great humiliation to you some day.  
It may also work incalculable injury  
to your boy. A thousand times better  
strike him with your hand than blast  
his hopes by ridicule or by a cruel,  
chilling, cutting word.—Orison Sweet  
Marden, in "Success Magazine."

## Riculous.

The closing down of the Hazel  
mines at Canonsburg last Thursday  
on account of a clarivoyant telling one  
of the miners that there would be an  
explosion there at a certain hour,  
with the result that he spread the  
news and when it was time to go to  
work, the miners refused to go into  
the workings, and hourly looked for  
the explosion, which by the way did  
not come, shows how susceptible  
human beings are of fear of the  
worst sort, if someone can only draw  
on their imagination the pictures of  
destruction that will follow if they  
do not heed warnings. A per-  
son cannot blame the miners, for the  
terrible accidents that have occurred  
in this and other vicinities in the past  
winter, are enough to make them  
fear to almost enter the mine at  
all. Humans are likely to believe  
what a seer or proposed prophet says,  
especially if it concerns them person-  
ally, even though there may not be an  
iota of truth in the prediction. But  
when a miner is warned so soon  
after the awful loss of life in these  
parts, he is more liable to take notice  
than some other person. The one  
who should be dealt with in such  
cases is the false spreader of mali-  
ciousness. Frankly we do not be-  
lieve there is or ever was a clarivoy-  
ant that has the knowledge claimed  
or the ability superior to other per-  
sons. It is ridiculous to suppose that  
a person should foretell a future by  
looking at some cards, or by some  
other patent system.

## Ready For Continuous Run.

After having been practically shut  
down since the big explosion at Mar-  
iana on November 23 the mines have  
again resumed at that place and are  
now putting out a large amount of  
coal, as much if not more than for-  
merly. Improvements have been  
made and now everything is in ship  
shape for a speedy continuous run.  
The Mariana mines are the largest  
in the county, and among the largest  
in the world and the county can afford  
to be proud of this industry. The  
Washington county coal fields are  
noted throughout the world, and the  
neighboring county of Greene bids  
fair to duplicate the success here.

## Electric Sparks

Odd that a girl always thinks a  
passing man's glance expresses ad-  
miration.

Some people are so verdant that it  
would be an act of charity to paint  
them another color.

Do not think that because a man  
makes fun of himself he necessarily  
means it, or wants you to do it.

The fact of a woman's comprehend-  
ing your inner subtleties does not  
argue her understanding of a cook-  
book.

Nothing riles a man more than to  
crawl under the bed after his collar  
button and come out covered with  
dust.

It is not to be supposed that a re-  
mark which does not hurt your feel-  
ings may not injure the sensibilities  
of some one else.

The pessimist sees everything going  
to the dogs, and lets 'em go, where-  
as the optimists, with a belief that  
everything works together for good,  
helps them along.

The University of Wisconsin turns  
out a professor who alleged in a pub-  
lic address that all children are born  
liars. Then he modified his remark  
by saying that they have very vivid  
imagination.

"Should actresses marry?" asks a  
Paris paper. If the divorce lawyers  
are to enjoy the usual prosperity it  
would seem that they should—early  
and often.

Many a woman can accomplish  
more with a bent hair pin than her  
husband can with a full set of tools.

"I don't often smoke," said the  
stingy man, as he lit a two-fer, "but  
when I want a cigar I want it bad."

The greatest disappointment about  
moving pictures of a prize fight is

that we miss the elevating conversa-  
tion of the ring-side.

English actor is suing a newspaper  
in that happy and contented land for  
printing the fact that he was going  
on "starring" tour with "v" in-  
stead of the second "r". Naturally  
hope the newspaper may win the case.

Observe that Representative Long-  
worth has a "double" who is a news-  
paper man in Washington. Rather  
awkward! His name is said to be  
Willicombe, but Nick is asking "how  
soon will he go?"

Says the Trevorton Times—We  
have taken wood, potatoes, corn,  
eggs, butter, onions, cabbage,  
chickens, stone, lumber, sand, calico,  
sauerkraut, second-hand clothing,  
coonskins and bug juice, scrap iron,  
shoe pegs, rawhides, chinquepins,  
tanbark, dogs, sorghum, seed, jarware  
and wheat straw on subscription,  
and now a man wants to know if we  
would send the paper for six months  
for a large owl. We have no pre-  
cedent for refusing, and if we can  
find a man who is out of an owl and  
wants one we'll do it.

## Judge McIlvaine Hurls Coals On Constables' Heads

The "Blind Man's Parade," other-  
wise known as the quarterly returns  
of the county constables, took place  
yesterday at the court house. Less  
than half of the constables throughout  
the county appeared, and of those  
who did appear only one had anything  
to report. This exception to the  
rule was Constable G. W. Mills, of  
the borough of Bentleyville, who told  
the court of the bad condition of Main  
street in Bentleyville.

The court issued a rule on the  
council of Bentleyville to show cause  
why the street should not be in good  
order. Judge McIlvaine before whom  
the constables passed to report, reprimanded the men whose business it is  
to report the conditions in the county  
and whose business is not to shut their  
eyes and see nothing and then to come  
before the court and report "nothing  
doing."

He said, "There is something rad-  
ically wrong. We do not think the  
constables are doing their duty. This  
is a plain unvarnished statement but  
it is the truth. We have received  
from fifty-six constables. The ma-  
jority of them simply return 'no.' We  
do not like to scold and do not  
do so very often but I do hope that  
the constables of the county would  
waken up and make more strenuous  
efforts than heretofore.

## MEETINGS AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

The meetings which are being con-  
tinued at the Baptist church this week  
started off well for the week's be-  
ginning last night. Rev. Palmer  
delivered the address his topic being  
"Sin." He took up the probable  
results of sin, and took as proof of his  
statements, the various parts of the  
Bible from beginning to end.

## MR. AND MRS. CARTER HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Wednesday night at the Washington  
Avenue Presbyterian church Mr. and  
Mrs. A. L. Carter who were here last  
October when the Hendrick-Carter  
evangelistic services were held, will  
appear in an evangelistic song service.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carter have finished up  
work in Freeport and are now on their  
way to Lansing, Mich., where they  
are to hold a series of meetings. The  
Charleroi people will be glad of the  
opportunity to again here this popular  
couple.

## Surprise Friend.

The home of Mrs. Charles Fink-  
beiner of Washington avenue was the  
scene of great gaiety last evening  
when forty-two of her sisters of the  
L. C. B. A. assembled there unex-  
pectedly and took possession. Mrs.  
Finkbeiner, although very much sur-  
prised, was equated to the occasion,  
and proceeded to make all feel at  
home. The evening was spent in  
euchre and games. A sumptuous  
lunch was served. Assisting the hos-  
tesses were Mrs. Jno. Mains, Mrs. Jno.  
Fries, Miss Barrett, Miss Fries and  
Miss Schaefer.

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## "Rubbers"

A miss was walking down the  
street  
The walk was covered up with  
sleet,  
She slipped and fell—she saw  
the sky,  
A man who saw her raised a  
cry

## "Rubbers"

If you would take some sound  
advice  
Take no chances with the ice,  
Just go to Adolph's and with  
the price  
He'll show you how to walk on  
ice—with

## "Rubbers"

Just call up 56-J  
We'll send a pair right away,  
Please state the size you'd like  
to buy,  
Just call up Adolph and at him  
cry

## "Rubbers"

Sample Shoe Store.

## MONESSEN

## Opera House

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## MO NESSEN

## Theatre

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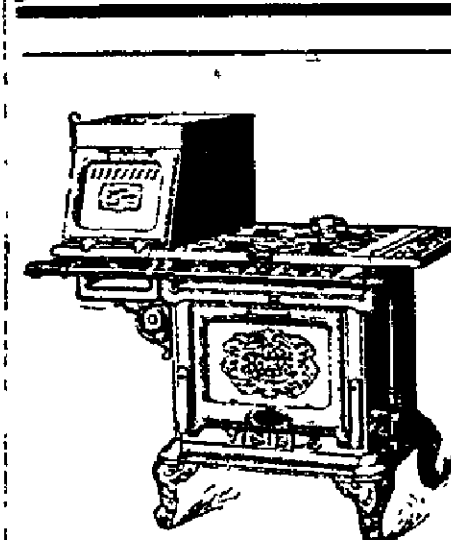
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Have you given shoes the consideration they deserve? Do you realize how much they effect the health of your entire body?

Throw away your present shoes. Get a pair of Red Cross shoes. Then notice the difference. You don't know how easy comfortable shoes can be until you wear the Red Cross.

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This wonderful relief from the strain and tension on the nerves in your feet is felt by every man in your body.

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## GERMS IN HER SYSTEM

Every Woman Should Read This.

The number of diseases peculiar to woman is such that we believe this space would hardly contain a mere mention of their names, and it is a fact that most of these diseases are of a catarrhal nature. A woman cannot be well if there is a trace of the catarrhal germs in her system.

Some women think there is no hope for them. We positively declare this to be a mistaken idea. We are sure of this that we offer to supply medicine absolutely free of all cost in every instance where it fails to give entire satisfaction or does not substantiate our claims. With this understanding, no woman should hesitate to believe our honesty of purpose, or hesitate to put our claims to a test.

There is only one way to cure Catarrh. That way is through the blood. You may use all the snuffs, douches or like remedies for years without getting more than temporary relief at best. Catarrh is caused by a germ. That germ is carried by the blood to the innermost part of the system until the mucous membrane is broken, irritation and inflammation produced, and a flow of mucous results, and you can probably realize how silly it is to attempt to cure such an ailment unless you take a medicine that follows the same course as the germ or parasite.

Rexall Mucu-Tone is scientifically prepared from the prescription of an eminent physician who for thirty years made his specialty Catarrh, and with this medicine he averaged 98 per cent of cures where it was employed. No other remedy is so properly designed for the ailments of woman. It will purify and enrich the blood, stop mucous discharge, destroy all germ matter, remove all impurities from the system, soothe, heal and strengthen the mucous tissues, and bring about a good feeling of health and strength.

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## Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lantz have returned from a visit at Adah, Fayette county, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross are transacting business today in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll is a visitor today in Pittsburgh.

Miss Margaret Moore is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Kerfoot W. Daly is transacting business today in Pittsburgh.

W. A. Mikach left this morning for Mexico, and other places in the far South west. Mr. Mikach will spend some time in California, and on his way out will stop at several of the important cities.

## No School Notes Issued Tomorrow

Owing to the idleness of the editor of "School Notes," Prof. W. D. Wright there will be no issue of this interesting feature with the Mail tomorrow.

WANTED--Two furnished rooms in private family for light housekeeping, for gentleman and wife. Leave word 43 Mail office. 1473p

Were All Tenors.

The inhabitants of Europe were all tenors. Their descendants of the present day are baritones, and finally some of them have semibass voices. A tendency to deeper voices is a sign of twenty years' age. A man of twenty-eight years of age has a voice of twenty-six. The inferior voice is a sign of old age. The negro has a deeper voice than the white man. The white races the fair complexion has a higher voice than the darker skinned brother. The former is usually a baritone or a tenor, the latter a contralto or bass. It is asserted that tenors are usually of slender build, whereas basses are stout, but there are too many exceptions to such a rule for it to be reliable. The same remark applies to the statement that thoughtful men have deep toned voices, and vice versa. The tones of a voice are perceptibly higher before than after a meal, for which reason tenors are generally careful not to sing too soon after dinner.--Pearson's Weekly.

The Missing Surname.

A theatrical man relates that one day in Philadelphia, as he was standing by a huge poster in front of the theater, a poster that represented a well known actor in the character of Henry V., a man who was strolling by stopped to gaze at the bill. Finally, with a snort of disgust, he muttered as he turned to go: "Henry V. what?"--Harper's Weekly.

Homemade.

"We are told to cast our bread upon the waters," said a young wife. "But don't you do it," replied her husband. "A vessel might run aground it and get wrecked."--Simplicissimus.

A Wrong Guess.

Botanical Youth (in park)--Can you tell me if this plant belongs to the arbutus family? Gardener (cautiously)--No young man, it don't. It belongs to the county council.--London Globe.

## THE HALL OF FAME.

Richard Mansfield had long cherished a plan of establishing a hall of English lions throughout this country, with plain furnishings and good plain food.

Henry Graves, who died the other day in Chicago, was the oldest settler in the city. He arrived at Chicago from Ashabula, O., on July 15, 1831. No resident of Chicago now living was there then.

Deacon Daniel S. Cooper of the First Baptist church, New Haven, Conn., was presented with a purse of \$100 recently in honor of his eighty-eighth birthday and fifty-first year as a deacon of the church.

Mark Twain was among the many thousands who visited the Indians at New York. In bidding adieu to the officer who showed him over the ship he observed, "I have to tell Noah all about this when I meet him."

Mr. E. J. Lupson, parish clerk of Yarmouth, England, who has completed forty-four years' service, has attended 12,000 weddings at the parish church and has been absent from church only three times out of nearly 2,300 Sundays. He has given away more than 1,200 brides.

Iowa's millionaire philanthropist, Abraham Sumner of Waverly, who has given more than \$200,000 to benevolent institutions and also large sums to needy individuals, recently toured the state incognito, distributing money among persons in want and seeking institutions worthy of aid.

The Marquis of Stafford, who recently celebrated his nineteenth birthday, is heir to the most extensive domain, if not the largest rent roll, enjoyed by any subject of King Edward. More than a million acres in England and Scotland are under the lordship of his father, the Duke of Sutherland.

Dr. Allan Ross Oefendorff, an alienist who testified in the Harry Thaw trial, has resigned from the medical staff of the Connecticut Hospital For the Insane at Middletown, Conn., and has accepted a position as lecturer on insanity at Yale and hereafter will make his residence in New Haven.

Thomas Hill, a Lawrenceville (N. J.) farmer, has trained a bull to run a treadmill that pumps water, churns butter and does all of that kind of work. The bull, Hill says, beats a windmill or gasoline engine "all to pieces," and the work prevents him from doing damage with his horns.

At Rock Island, Ill., recently Frederick Weyerhaeuser, the St. Paul lumber merchant, celebrated with his wife their golden wedding in the presence of 100 descendants. When Weyerhaeuser married he was a day laborer. Now he is the largest individual owner of standing timber in the United States. He is supposed to be worth over \$100,000,000.

A Wrong Diagnosis.

The small boy with the big bundle of papers was observed to be moistening some of his stock in the street fountain.

"Ah, my lad," said a benevolent old gentleman. "It does me good to see such an illustration of cleanliness."

"What do yer mean, boss?" asked the boy as he stared up in wonder. "Why, aren't you trying to wash the mud spots off the edge of your papers?"

"No, boss; you are way off. You see, some of these papers is two weeks old, an' if I daupen 'em up a bit people will think they are just from de press an' never think of lookin' at de date. Good graft, old sport! Say, some day when I am a captain of industry I'll give you a job."

But the benevolent old gentleman had died.--Boston Post.

Tool of Many Uses.

During the recent army maneuvers the French troops were using for the first time an instrument which, for variety of adaptation probably approaches to a record. It is a kind of concave lance shaft, or gouge, about eight inches broad at the base and with a handle about twelve inches long. This implement is a shovel, a pointed bar, a trenching pick, a wire cutter, a wood chopper and can be used for bread and meat.--London Globe.

Straw for a Tunnel.

In Idaho there is a derelict railway tunnel to a mile long which has been put to the strange use of growing mushrooms. The portals are furnished with doors, and one line of rails has been removed to make room for the beds, but the other track remains to facilitate the dispatch of the mushrooms in trucks.--Wide Awake Magazine.

Shakespeare Notwithstanding.

"Is there anything in a name?" inquired the man with mouse colored whiskers. "You can bet there is. Name a boy Stuyvesant or Van Rensselaer or Gouverneur and he'll never do anything but a first class job. Nobody will ever dare ask him to swab windows or mop floors. And by the time he's forty he'll be head of a trust company and director in twenty-seven prominent concerns. Oh, yes; there's a heap in a name, lemme tell you."--Washington Herald.

FANCY.

FANCY can cure or kill. It hath closed wounds when the balsam could not, and without the aid of salves. To think hath been a cure. --William Cartwright.

MODERATION.

HAVE more than thou showest. Speak less than thou knowest. Lend less than thou owest. Ride more than thou goest. --Shakespeare.

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### RODE ON TOP OF BALLOON

Capt. Lovelace Performs Startling Feat During Pommern's Trip.

New York, Nov. 12. — "I rode a greater part of the trip from Philadelphia in the rigging and on top of the Pommern and by this means we were able to ascertain exactly the different currents of air. This enabled us to control the route of the balloon so that we were at all times masters of our course."

This statement was made by Capt. J. J. Lovelace, who inaugurated a new feat in aerial navigation by riding most of the time during the Pommern's 15-mile journey on top of the big gasbag.

"From a military standpoint the trip was most instructive," said Capt. Lovelace. "We navigated over Fort Mifflin and took a number of pictures. At the time we were carrying 1,000 pounds of ballast, which we could have dropped at will at any place in the fortification. If in time of war we had been carrying nitroglycerin you can easily see the havoc we could have wrought."

"The German balloons are the best in the world. Their balloon cloth, made of alternate layers of rubber and cotton, make the envelope so tough that it is almost impossible to tear it. One can climb all over the envelope without doing the slightest damage. Besides this the material is absolutely leakproof and the only loss of gas is by deterioration."

### Emperor Who Must Die Standing.

The emperor of Austria during his illness has insisted on transacting state business as usual. As soon as he left the nursery he began a course of training to fit himself for the high position he was to fill. At sixteen he was an accomplished linguist and a scientific expert of no mean degree. He could ride and hunt with the tireless energy of a hardy sportsman, and his studies in literature and jurisprudence were conducted under the most celebrated scholars of continental Europe. That in a course of training did not react on his health is doubtless due to his remarkable memory, which even now enabled him to recall the face of the hand of his subjects, no matter how long the lapse of time. It is a tradition of the Austrian royal house that no emperor must die lying down. He must stand up to receive the last dread messenger. — London Times.

### Is a Mummy a Corpse?

There is now lying in the Paris morgue a mummy that is the cause of a dispute between the police, who insist that it is a mummy, and the coroner, who insists that it is a corpse. The dispute is the sequel to a case in a flat. The coroner found the mummy, which was found in a sack and covered with the mummy "for identification." The owner of the flat has done everything possible to get it back, but the police reply to all representations with the question: "Is a mummy a corpse? Yes or no?" "Yes," says the owner, "but there is no but," declare the police. "A mummy is a corpse, and this is the case for corpses."

### Wrong Tip.

"I have come all the way out here," said the tenderfoot, "to see your beautiful sunset." "Somebody's been stringing you, stranger," replied Arizona Al. "It ain't mine." — Chicago Record-Herald.

### Hard Climbing.

Wearry Walker—De world's all wrong? Tired Tatters—Wot's eatin' yonse now? Wearry Walker—Ef I'd a had de makin' av it I'd made all de roads runnin' downhill. — Chicago News.

### Fish Have No Eyelids.

Goldfish do not close their eyes except when they have no eyelids. There exist in fishes no genuine eyelids, but in some (mackerel and sea mullet) there is a transparent film over the anterior surface of the eyeball, and in certain sharks there is a reticulating or wrinkling membrane that is regulated by a special muscle. — St. Nicholas.

### The Converse.

"Is success a crime?" "I would not say that," answered the conservative citizen, "but I must state that crime seems to be a success in some quarters." — Philadelphia Bulletin.

### Proving His Motto.

"Well, sir," exclaimed the millionaire, "what do you want this morning?" "I've come again to ask for your daughter," said the poor but ambitious young man.

"Haven't I told you six times over on as many different days that it is out of the question? What do you mean by bothering me in this way? You are making a nuisance of yourself."

"If I seem to be more persistent than circumstances warrant, I must insist that you, sir, are to blame." "Me?" shouted the indignant old man. "I don't understand you."

"There," said the man who loved his daughter as he pointed to a motto over the banker's desk, "is my excuse for coming here day after day. If at first you don't succeed, try, try, try again. Do you believe in that sentiment, or have you put it up there simply to deceive people?"

After he had scratched his head awhile the mean old plutocrat said: "Yes, I believe in that. I haven't succeeded yet in making you understand that my daughter shall not become the wife of a fool, but I am going to keep on trying till I do! Good morning!"

And that time he did it.—Strand Magazine.

### A BORN TRADER.

He Was a Bit Unlucky, but Then He Had No Dull Times.

"One hundred dollars seems an awful high price to pay for a typewriting machine," said Mr. Jenkinson, who had just bought one. "It may seem so to you," answered his friend, Mr. Hankinson, "but I have one at my house that cost me \$750, and I don't suppose it's half as good as yours."

"You needn't tell me such a thing."

"It's a fact," broke in the other.

"Why, how in the world?"

"Well, I'll tell you. A year and a half ago I bought an automobile for \$800. After I had paid \$150 for repairs, storage, fines and other expenses connected with it I traded it for a suburban lot."

"The lot proved to be in the middle of a swamp, and when a real estate man offered me a horse and buggy for it I took him up."

"The horse ran away one day and smashed the buggy into kindling wood. I traded the horse for a gold watch."

"The watch wouldn't keep good time, and I swapped it for a bicycle. One day I fell from the bicycle and put a finger out of joint. Then I exchanged the machine for a secondhand typewriter."

"I see."

"And I've no use for the typewriter. Do you know of anybody that would give me a good dog for it?" — Youth's Companion.

### BABY IN THE CASE

Parents Liable to Deportation But It Is a Citizen of United States.

Charlottesville, Va., March 25.—The fifteen Spaniards arrested here charged with being alien contract laborers were given a hearing and remanded to jail in default of \$1,000 bail each. They will be taken to Baltimore and held there until the secretary of commerce and labor of the United States reviews the evidence and passes on it.

The case of one of them is somewhat complicated. He came to this country with his wife shortly after their marriage and they have a baby three weeks old and born in this country. Being a native born, it may be difficult to deport the child. In the cases of the others, if they are guilty they will be deported as soon as the secretary passes on the evidence. Deportation also precludes their ever coming to this country.

A City of Happy Homes. Dubuque, Iowa, has in the center of it, where it is called the town house, "Good Homes" and "Bad Homes."

"It is evident," said the hapless homes are found," he collected — Nos. Ladies.

A Pretty Big Discount. "There was a children's hospital in New York which a society lady visited regularly, taking fruit and flowers to the little patients, and in a certain ward a boy was pointed out to her one day as a bad customer."

"Oh, he is incorrigible," sighed the nurse.

"Miss Society talked awhile with the little chap, and when she arose to go she said:

"See here, I have heard bad reports about you. Now, I want you to promise me to be good. If you are good for a whole week, I'll give you a dollar when I come again next Thursday."

"The boy promised to try to be good. This promise, though, he did not keep. On her next visit Miss Society, going to his cot, said:

"I shall not ask the nurses how you have behaved this last week. I want you to tell me yourself. Now, what do you think—do you deserve that dollar I promised you or not?"

"The boy regarded Miss Society with a troubled frown. Then he said in a low voice:

"Gimme a nickel!" — New York Tribune.

## FOR SALE

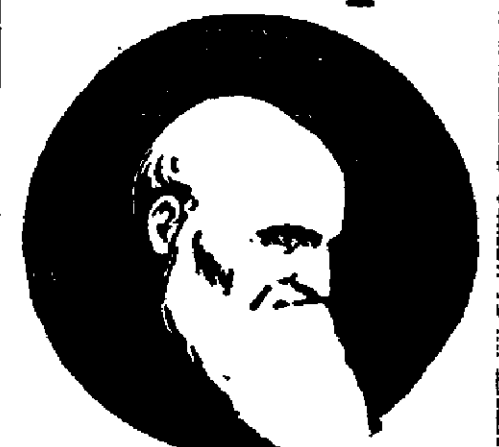
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One Cent

## MILK ORDINANCE FINALLY TAKEN UP BY COUNCIL

Passes First Reading And Is  
Referred Back to Ordinance Committee.

### INSTANCE HEALTH BOARD

Matter of Crossings Thoroughly Discussed And Law Will Be Enforced.

At the instance of the Board of health the borough council last night at their regular meeting took up the milk ordinance which has been prepared and on the table for several months. The ordinance passed first reading and was placed in the hands of the ordinance committee for revision. This ordinance calls for the licensing of dairymen in Charleroi for the selling of milk, and regulates the sanitary arrangements of the stables and barns where the cows are kept.

The treasurer's report was read and accepted. The summary of it follows:

Balance from last report.....\$4,256.00

Receipts.....1,418.84

Total.....5,674.84

Disbursements.....4,241.00

Balance.....1,433.84

The Burgess' report showed that there had been 43 hearings, fines of \$87.00 imposed, and \$61.50 paid.

The Tax collectors report showed that there had been turned over to the treasurer for 1908 taxes \$20,657. 1907, \$174.77 and 1908, \$1,464.57, making a total of \$1,639.34. Fines for 1908 taxes to the amount of \$109.90 have been filed. The total of uncollected duplicate is \$9,518.30. For 1908 the amount is \$1,255.14, 1907, \$3,053.68 and for 1908, \$5,210.00. A motion was made and carried that the tax collector be notified to file his list of exonerations for the year 1906 by March 1, of 1907 by April 1 of 1908 by May 1.

The matter of the collections of liens against some property on Crest avenue for paving was taken up and placed in the hands of the Borough solicitor to collect at once.

Attorney Sharpless was present representing Mrs. Sarah Osborne in regard to a claim for damages on Crest avenue, where paving work had damaged her property. Mr. Sharpless was willing to compromise the matter, and it was placed in the hands of the accounts and claims committee to confer with the borough solicitor.

The matter of crossings over side walks in various parts of town was brought up, and the street commissioner was instructed to notify all parties having curb boards, to replace them with the proper kind of crossings.

On motion it was carried that the borough clerk instructed to notify the Charleroi Water company to fix a gate at once on Fifth street that had become in bad condition.

The matter of a building permit for the new Piper building on Fifth street was taken up and the clerk was authorized to collect the amount due.

A verbal petition was presented from Mr. Sam. Claybaugh for a walk crossing the street on Lincoln avenue near his blacksmith shop. This was granted, and a walk is to be laid.

Bills were paid last night to near the amount of \$1,500, leaving at the months end a balance in the treasury of about \$300.

During a part of the meeting last night at the wish of President Jones, Councilman Frew assumed the chair.

## WOMAN FOUND IN HOSPITAL AT EAST LIVERPOOL

Chief of Police Albright this morning received a communication from B. O. Fair, the Beaver Falls man, who created a sensation last Saturday by sending a letter to this place, giving a description of a missing girl, which fitted that of the one found along the river shore previously, stating that the person for whom he was searching, Mrs. Jennie Skiles had been found in the East Liverpool hospital. No more clues have been found by which the woman's identity can be learned and it is possible that her name will never be known.

## GRAND JURY MET YESTERDAY

Yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock the grand jury for the February term of court was convened and addressed by Judge McIlwaine. R. H. Koehler, editor and justice of the peace of Duquesne, was chosen foreman. Twenty-two of the jurors drawn went into session to consider the charges against the alleged breakers of the law. Up to the time of adjournment at 7 o'clock six true bills were found and four bills were found not true.

## MILLAGE INCREASED IN COUNTY

The county commissioners yesterday afternoon fixed the millage for the coming year at 4 1-2 mills, one-half mill more than last year. The estimated expenses for the coming year were also fixed.

In fixing the tax levy for the current year the county commissioners found that the cash on hand on January 1, when they assumed office, was \$14,500 in the bond fund, and \$32,000 of the general fund. This amount is all the money that is available until the collections for this year become payable in July.

The estimated expenses for this period will run close to \$2, showing a large approaching deficit. In the bond fund alone, the entire balance is already exhausted by the January and February payment of principal and interest on outstanding bonds. Notwithstanding that no further money will be available in this fund before July 1, it will be necessary to make additional payments amounting to about \$13,000, before that time.

The total estimated expenses for the fiscal year ending first Monday in February 1910 is \$351,703.

Notice.  
Just arrived. One car of fresh Mackerel, Cod, Cark, Floanden, Blue Pike, Herring, Halbut and Salmon at R. P. Fitzgerald's, King of the Fishermen, 315 Fallowfield avenue, Local Phone 24-A.

## COUNCILMAN MAKES CHARGES AGAINST LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER AT MEETING

Surprise Sprung Which Seems  
To Have Originated From  
Late Primary.

### HEALTH BOARD TO MEET

A statement was made in council last night which for a time gave promise of an exciting war and which is not as yet entirely devoid of its sensational character. This was concerning Health Officer Darby, the statement being made in a motion by Councilman J. K. Bein, which was seconded by Councilman Schmieler that Mr. Darby had not been attending to his duties, but instead on election day had been seen on the corner of Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue talking politics for two hours, and saying things which were not to say the least complimentary to other candidates for Burgess than Mr. Frank Bly whom it was stated Mr. Darby was promoting. Brought about as it was with Mr. Darby present and some of the members of the Health Board, including the President, Mr. Boblitt, it naturally occasioned great surprise, and the opinion was manifested that it was an entirely a personal matter.

The motion made by Messrs. Bein and Schmieler was that the pay of Mr. Darby be removed. No explanation was made until Mr. Darby petitioned for such, then it was stated that he was charged with standing on the street corners talking politics and running down some candidates for office, and upholding others, in strenuous terms—and other things, just what the "other things" were it was not stated, with the exception that Mr. Darby is in some way charged with not being a partisan entirely with the borough in the water company matter, and it is said, stated things not agreeable to the ears of the council concerning this and "other matters." After the bombshell had been cast, there was quiet for a time, until some of the members of council recovered from their apparent surprise, then Mr. Frew arose, and stated along with other remarks that he thought there was a little haste being exercised in the matter, and that it should be held over until later.

Following this Rev. Boblitt, the president of the Board of Health obtaining permission to speak stated that the council did not have jurisdiction in this matter, and the Board of Health were given all power to remove the Health officers or to state to him his duties. Rev. Boblitt suggested that the matter be held over and that the complainants appear before the Board of Health and make their complaint, when action would be taken by the proper officials. It is stated that the Health Board will stand back of the officer, for they last night before the meeting of council at their session commended him for his faithfulness and good work.

The meeting of the Board at which time the case will be taken up has been arranged as Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## REPORTS STATE THAT LEWIS IS ELECTED

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 1.—President Lewis of the United Mine Workers won a victory today over his enemies when the national convention by a vote of more than two to one approved his policy in respect to the Indiana miners. Lewis suspended the district officers of that state, closed the Hudson mine against the strikers to work, and refused to recognize the officers when they rebelled against his authority.

## INSPECTORS TO PASS ON DONORA BRIDGE

Theodore J. Allen, of North Charleroi; Joseph A. Herron, of Monongahela, and William B. Chambers, of Canonsburg, have been appointed inspectors to pass upon the point county bridge just completed over the Monongahela between Duquesne and Monaca. They will act in conjunction with the three inspectors appointed by the state of West Virginia.

## Board of Health Will Issue Soon a Book of Regulations

At a meeting of the Board of Health last night it was decided that a book containing the sanitary regulations of the borough of Charleroi be issued, and distributed among the people. A committee to arrange this book was appointed consisting of the J. F. Bowman, R. S. Phillips and H. C. Boblitt. This book is to be issued something after the order of that which was distributed at Monessen sometime ago, and to give the people a further insight into the regulations of the Health Department.

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## Feb. 2 in History.

1848—Treaty of peace between the  
United States and Mexico signed  
at Guadalupe; end of Mexican  
war.

1908—Mannuel, second son of King  
Carlos, proclaimed ruler of Portu-  
gal.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:15, rises 7:00; moon sets  
6:16 a. m.; moon highest or farthest  
north; 1:40 p. m. moon in conjunction  
with Neptune, passing the planet from  
west to east.

## GOOD EVENING.

A single life will choke out the  
pretext crop of confidence that a  
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## Don't Kidnape Your Boy.

Many a boy has gone to bed in  
tears because his father criticized or  
denounced his effort at playing the  
violin; made fun of a simple little  
composition or story which he wrote;  
discouraged his attempt to make some  
little mechanical device, or threw a  
wet blanket on his dreams, laughing  
at his prediction of what he would do  
in the future.

A man who has recently come into  
great prominence in his profession  
says that when tremblingly, he told  
his father what he wanted to be, he  
was told that a padded cell was the  
only place for a boy with such crazy  
ideas, and that he was forced for  
years to do that which God had for-  
bidden in every fiber of his being, and  
against which every drop of blood in  
him protested.

The father who has made up his  
mind that his son must continue his  
business and keep his estate intact, is  
not in a position to decide on the  
boy's bent—his special aptitude. He  
is prejudiced at the very outset.

The reason why there are so many  
mediocre men and women in the  
world, and so many failures, is be-  
cause they never found their right  
places.

Everywhere we see men and women,  
capable of much better things, who  
were discouraged and diverted from  
their natural bent when young. Their  
own families did not take stock in  
them; they laughed at their young  
ambitions, and strangled their aspira-  
tions, either by harsh treatment, or,  
what is even worse, ridicule; and  
their teachers did not understand  
them.

You cannot read the sealed message  
which God has wrapped up in your  
boy or girl, and you should regard it  
as sacred. You should respect the  
dreams of four greatness of your son,  
because the Creator may have intended  
him for a grand and far-reaching  
mission. You cannot tell what is  
in his mind.

What possibilities are locked in his  
brain. He may be perfectly con-  
scious at this moment that he was in-  
tended for a much higher place in the  
world than you are occupying your-  
self, and to denounce him, to scoff  
at his dreams, to laugh at his predic-  
tions for the future may be a source

of great humiliation to you some day.

It may also work incalculable injury  
to your boy. A thousand times better  
strike him with your hand than blot  
his hopes by ridicule or by a cruel,  
chilling, cutting word.—Orison Sweet  
Marden, in "Success Magazine."

## Riculous.

The closing down of the Hazel  
mines at Canonsburg last Thursday  
on account of a clairvoyant telling one  
of the miners that there would be an  
explosion there at a certain hour,  
with the result that he spread the  
news and when it was time to go to  
work, the miners refused to go into  
the workings, and hourly looked for  
the explosion, which by the way did  
not come, shows how susceptible  
human beings are of fear of the  
worst sort, if someone can only draw  
on their imagination the pictures of  
destruction that will follow if they  
do not heed warnings. A per-  
son cannot blame the miners for the  
terrible accidents that have occurred  
in this and other vicinities in the past  
winter, are enough to make them to  
fear to almost not enter the mine at  
all. Humans are likely to believe  
what a seer or proposed prophet says,  
especially if it concerns them person-  
ally, even though there may not be an  
iota of truth in the prediction. But  
when a miner is warned so soon  
after the awful loss of life in these  
parts, he is more liable to take notice  
than some other person. The one  
who should be dealt with in such  
cases is the false spreader of mali-  
ciousness. Frankly we do not be-  
lieve there is or ever was a clairvoy-  
ant that has the knowledge claimed  
or the ability superior to other per-  
sons. It is ridiculous to suppose that  
a person should foretell a future by  
looking at some cards, or by some  
other patent system.

## Ready For Continuous Run.

After having been practically shut  
down since the big explosion at Mar-  
ianca on November 25 the mines have  
again resumed at that place and are  
now getting out a large amount of  
coal, as much if not more than for-  
merly. Improvements have been  
made and now everything is in ship  
shape for a speedy continuous run.  
The Marianca mines are the largest  
in the county, and among the largest  
in the world and the county can afford  
to be proud of this industry. The  
Washington county coal fields are  
noted throughout the world, and the  
neighboring county of Greene bids  
fair to duplicate the success here.

## Electric Sparks

Odd that a girl always thinks a  
passing man's glance expresses ad-  
miration.

Some people are so verdant that it  
would be an act of charity to paint  
them another color.

Do not think that because a man  
makes fun of himself he necessarily  
means it, or wants you to do it.

The fact of a woman's comprehend-  
ing your inner subtleties does not  
argue her understanding of a cook-  
book.

Nothing riles a man more than to  
crawl under the bed after his collar  
button and come out covered with  
dust.

It is not to be supposed that a re-  
mark which does not hurt your feel-  
ings may not injure the sensibilities  
of some one else.

The pessimist sees everything going  
to the dogs, and lets 'em go, where-  
as the optimists, with a belief that  
everything works together for good,  
helps them along.

The University of Wisconsin turns  
out a professor who alleged in a pub-  
lic address that all children are born  
Mara. Then he modified his remark  
by saying that they have very vivid  
imagination.

"Should actresses marry?" asks a  
Paris paper. If the divorce lawyers  
are to enjoy the usual prosperity it  
would seem that they should—early  
and often.

Many a woman can accomplish  
more with a bent hair pin than her  
husband can with a full set of tools.

"Don't often smoke," said the  
stingy man, as he lit a two-fer, "but  
when I want a cigar I won't let bed."

The greatest disappointment about  
moving pictures of a prize fight is

that we miss the elevating conver-  
sation of the ring-side.

English actor is suing a newspaper  
for that happy and contented look  
printing the fact that he was going  
on "starring" tour with "v" in-  
stead of the second "v". Naturally  
hope the newspaper may win the case.

Observe that Representative Long-  
worth has a "double" who is a news-  
paper man in Washington. Rather  
awkward! His name is said to be  
Willicombe, but Nick is asking "how  
soon will he go?"

Says the Trevorton Times—We  
have taken wood, potatoes, corn,  
eggs, butter, onions, cabbage,  
Chickens, stone, lumber, sand, calico,  
sauerkraut, second-hand clothing,  
coonskins and bug juice, scrap iron,  
shoe pegs, rawhides, chinquepins,  
tanbark, dogs, sorghum, seed, jarware  
and wheat straw on subscription,  
and now a man wants to know if we  
would send the paper to his home for  
a large owl. We have no pre-  
cedent for refusing, and if we can  
find a man who is out of an owl and  
wants one we'll do it.

## Judge McIlvaine

Hurls Coals On

Constables' Heads

The "Blind Man's Parade," other-  
wise known as the quarterly returns  
of the county constables, took place  
yesterday at the court house. Less  
than half of the constables throughout  
the county appeared, and of those  
who did appear only one had anything  
to report. This exception to the  
rule was Constable G. W. Mills, of  
the borough of Bentleyville, who told  
the court of the bad condition of Main  
street in Bentleyville.

The court issued a rule on the  
council of Bentleyville to show cause  
why the street should not be in good  
order. Judge McIlvaine before whom  
the constables passed to report, reprim-  
anded the men whose business it is  
to report the conditions in the county  
and whose business is not to shut their  
eyes and see nothing and then to come  
before the court and report "nothing  
doing."

He said, "There is something rad-  
ically wrong. We do not think the  
constables are doing their duty. This  
is a plain unvarnished statement but  
it is the truth. We have received  
from fifty-six constables. The ma-  
jority of them simply return "no." We  
do not like to scold and do not  
do so very often but I do hope that  
the constables of the county would  
waken up and make more strenuous  
efforts than heretofore.

## MEETINGS AT THE

BAPTIST CHURCH

The meetings which are being con-  
tinued at the Baptist church this week  
started off well for the week's be-  
ginning last night. Rev. Palmer  
delivered the address his topic being  
"Sin." He took up the probable  
results of sin, and took as proof of his  
statements, the various parts of the  
Bible from beginning to end.

## MR. AND MRS. CARTER

HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Wednesday night at the Washington  
Avenue Presbyterian church Mr. and  
Mrs. A. L. Carter who were here last  
October when the Hendrick-Carter  
evangelistic services were held, will  
appear in an evangelistic song service.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carter have finished up  
work in Freeport and are now on their  
way to Lansing, Mich., where they  
are to hold a series of meetings. The  
Charleroi people will be glad of the  
opportunity to again here this popular  
couple.

## Surprise Friend.

The home of Mrs. Charles Fink-  
beiner of Washington avenue was the  
scene of great gaiety last evening  
when forty-two of her sisters of the  
L. C. B. A. assembled them unex-  
pectedly and took possession. Mrs.  
Finkbeiner, although very much sur-  
prised, was equaled to make all feel at  
home. The evening was spent in  
euchre and games. A sumptuous  
lunch was served. Assisting the hos-  
tess were Mrs. Jno. Mains, Mrs. Jno.  
Fries, Miss Barrett, Miss Fries and  
Miss Schaeffer.

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street.

The walk was covered up with  
sleet,

She slipped and fell—she saw  
the sky,

A man who saw her raised a  
cry

## "Rubbers"

If you would take some sound  
advice

Take no chances with the ice,  
Just go to Adolph's and with  
the price

He'll show you how to walk on  
ice—with

## "Rubbers"

Just call up 36-J

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Just call up Adolph and at him  
cry

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It really seems strange that so many  
people suffer year in and year out with  
eczema, when it is now no longer a se-  
cret that oil of wintergreen mixed with  
thymol, glycerine, etc., makes a wash  
that is bound to cure.

Old, obstinate cases, it is true, can-  
not be cured in a few days, but there  
is absolutely no sufferer from eczema  
who ever used this simple wash and  
did not find immediately that won-  
derfully soothing, calm, cool sensation  
that comes when the itch is taken away.  
Instantly upon applying a few drops  
of the wash the remedy takes effect,  
the itch is allayed. There is no need  
of experiment—the patient knows at  
once.

Instead of trying to compound the  
oil of wintergreen, thymol, glycerine,  
etc., in the right proportions ourselves  
we are using a prescription which is  
universally found the most effective.  
It is known as the D. D. D. Prescrip-  
tion, or Oil of Wintergreen Compound.  
It is made by the D. D. D. Co. of Chi-  
cago, and our long experience with  
this remedy has given us great con-  
fidence in its merits.

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Have you given shoes the consideration they deserve? Do you realize how much they effect the health of your entire body?

Throw away your present shoes. Get a pair of Red Cross. Then notice the difference. You don't know how comfortable shoes can be until you wear the Red Cross.

As one of our customers said, "They make you feel more like you had new feet than new shoes."

This wonderful relief from the strain and tension on the nerves in your feet is felt by every nerve in your body.

It means more strength, greater energy, better health!

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Letters of administration c. t. a. in the  
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sons having claims or demands against the  
estate of said deceased are requested to  
make the same known without delay to  
CHARLES POLACCI,  
Administrator c. t. a.  
T. W. McGonigley,  
Attorney.  
10-2-23-24-25

## Whistler's Odd Ways.

Lord Redesdale once gave a descrip-  
tion of Whistler's methods to a meet-  
ing in London in support of a memo-  
rial to the great artist. He was paint-  
ing, he said, a portrait of a lady. Whistler took up his position at one  
end of the room with his sitter and the  
canvas at the other end. For a long  
time he stood looking at his model,  
holding in his hand a huge brush full  
of color, such a brush as a man would  
use to whitewash a house. Then he  
rushed forward and smashed the brush  
full of color into the canvas. Then he  
ran back, and forty or fifty times he  
repeated this. At the end of that  
time there stood out on the canvas a  
space which exactly indicated the fig-  
ure, the form and the expression of  
the sitter. There was a pathetic story  
attached to the picture. The balliffs  
were in the house when the picture  
was finished. That was quite a com-  
mon occurrence, and Whistler only  
laughed, but he went round his studio  
with a knife and deliberately destroyed  
all his canvases, including this picture,  
which was to have been his (Lord  
Redesdale's).—Dundee Advertiser.

## Paved With Tombstones.

"Not the least noteworthy thing  
about the beautiful building," writes  
Dr. Sundermann from Mayence to the  
Westphalia, referring to the cathed-  
ral of that place, "is the pavement.  
This is made with stones on which  
there are Hebrew letters, which aroused  
our curiosity. Investigation showed  
that the stones at one time marked  
graves in the Jewish cemetery and had  
been taken thence when there was a  
scarcity of building material and used  
to pave the cathedral. They have re-  
mained there ever since, and some of  
the inscriptions are still in a fair state  
of preservation."

## Sorry He Spoke.

"Really, Miss Primin, you ought to get  
married," remarked Weddery. "You'll  
soon be in the spinsters class if you  
don't hurry up and catch on."  
"Oh, don't worry about me, Mr. Wed-  
dery," replied Miss Primin. "If I  
were as easy to please as your wife I  
would have been married long ago."  
—London Telegraph.

## Homemade.

"We are told to cast our bread upon  
the waters," said a young wife.  
"But don't you do it," replied her  
husband. "A vessel might sink and  
it get wrecked."—Simplicissimus.

## A Wrong Guess.

Botanical-Youth (in park)—Can you  
tell me if this plant belongs to the  
botany family? Gardener (curtly)—No  
young man, it don't. It belongs to the  
country council.—London Globe.

## GERMS IN HER SYSTEM

Every Woman Should Read  
This.

The number of diseases peculiar to  
woman is such that we believe this  
space would hardly contain a mere  
mention of their names, and it is a  
fact that most of these diseases are of  
a catarrhal nature. A woman cannot  
be well if there is a trace of the cat-  
arrhal germs in her system.

Some women think there is no hope  
for them. We positively declare this  
to be a mistaken idea. We are so  
sure of this that we offer to supply  
medicine absolutely free of all cost in  
every instance where it fails to give  
entire satisfaction or does not sub-  
stantiate our claims. With this un-  
derstanding, no woman should hesi-  
tate to believe our honesty of purpose,  
or hesitate to put our claims to a test.

There is only one way to cure Cat-  
arrh. That way is through the blood.  
You may use all the snuffs, douches  
or use pessaries and pills without

getting more than temporary relief at  
best. Catarrh is caused by a germ.  
That germ is carried by the blood to  
the innermost part of the system un-  
til the mucous membrane is broken,  
irritation and inflammation produced,  
and a flow of mucous results, and you  
can probably realize how silly it is to  
attempt to cure such an ailment unless  
you take a medicine that follows the  
same course as the germ or parasite.

Rexall Mucu-Tone is scientifically  
prepared from the prescription of an  
eminent physician who for thirty  
years made his specialty Catarrh, and  
with this medicine he averaged 98 per  
cent of cures where it was employed.  
No other remedy is so properly de-  
signed for the ailments of woman.  
It will purify and enrich the blood,  
stop mucous discharge, destroy all  
germ matter, remove all impurities  
from the system, soothe, heal and  
strengthen the mucous tissues, and  
bring about a good feeling of health  
and strength.

We want you to try Rexall Mucu-  
Tone on our guarantee. If you are not  
benefitted, or for any reason not satis-  
fied, simply tell us and we will hand  
back your money. Rexall Mucu-Tone  
comes in two sizes, 50c and \$1.00.  
John W. Carroll, Charleroi, Pa.

## Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lantz have  
returned from a visit at Adsh, Fayette  
county, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross are trans-  
acting business today in Pittsburg.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll is a visitor to-  
day in Pittsburg.

Miss Margaret Moore is spending  
the day in Pittsburg.

Kerfoot W. Daly is transacting  
business today in Pittsburg.

W. A. Miksch left this morning  
for Mexico, and other places in the  
far South west. Mr. Miksch will  
spend some time in California, and on  
his way out will stop at several of the  
important cities.

## No School Notes

Issued Tomorrow

Owing to the idleness of the editor  
of "School Notes," Prof. W. D.  
Wright there will be no issue of this  
interesting feature with the Mail to-  
morrow.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms in  
private family for light housekeeping,  
for gentleman and wife. Leave word  
43 Mail office. 14763p

## Were All Tenors.

The inhabitants of Europe  
Their descendants of  
are baritones, and future  
of all have senseless  
voices, and a tendency to  
descent of twenty-eight  
and the baritone thirty-six. The inferior  
ones have higher pitched voices than  
more cultured. The negro has a  
or voice than the white man,  
ing white races the fair complex-  
ion man has a higher voice than his  
darker skinned brother. The former is  
usually a baritone or a tenor, the latter  
a contralto or bass. It is asserted  
that tenors are usually of slender  
build, whereas basses are stout, but  
there are too many exceptions to such a  
rule for it to be reliable. The same  
remark applies to the statement that  
thoughtful men have deep toned voices,  
and vice versa. The tones of a voice  
are perceptibly higher before than after  
a meal, for which reason tenors are  
generally careful not to sing too soon  
after dinner.—Pearson's Weekly.

## The Missing Surname.

A theatrical man relates that one  
day in Philadelphia, as he was stand-  
ing by a stage door he saw a man  
theater, a poster that represented a  
well-known actor in the character of  
Henry V., a man who was striding by  
stopped to gaze at the bill. Finally,  
with a snort of disgust, he muttered as  
he turned to go:  
"Henry V. what?"—Harper's Week-  
ly.

## THE HALL OF FAME.

Richard Mansfield had long cher-  
ished a plan of establishing a hall of  
English lions throughout this country  
with plain furnishings and good plat-  
tens.

Henry Graves, who died the other  
day in Chicago, was the oldest settler  
in the city. He arrived at Chicago  
from Ashtabula, O., on July 15, 1831.  
No resident of Chicago now living  
was there then.

Deacon Daniel S. Cooper of the First  
Baptist church, New Haven, Conn.,  
was presented with a purse of \$10  
recently in honor of his eighty-eight  
birthday and fifty-first year as a dea-  
con of the church.

Mark Twain was among the mil-  
lions who visited the Lusitania  
at New York. In bidding adieu to it  
he observed, "I'll have to tell Noah  
about this when I meet him."

Mr. E. J. Lupton, parish clerk of  
Yarmouth, England, who has com-  
pleted forty-four years' service, has  
tended 12,000 weddings at the parish  
church and has been absent from  
church only three times out of near  
2,500 Sundays. He has given away  
more than 1,200 brides.

Town's millionaire philanthropist  
has given more than \$500,000 to bene-  
volent institutions and also large sum  
to needy individuals, recently tour  
the state incognito, distributing mon-  
ey among persons in want and seeking  
stitutions worthy of aid.

The Marquis of Stafford, who re-  
cently celebrated his nineteenth birth-  
day, is heir to the most extensive estate  
if not the largest rent roll, enjoyed  
any subject of King Edward. More  
than a million acres in England and  
Scotland are under the lordship of  
father, the Duke of Somerset.

Dr. Allan Ross Diefendorf, an ill-  
fated who testified in the Harry Thiel  
trial, has resigned from the medi-  
cal staff of the Connecticut Hospital,  
the Insane at Middletown, Conn.,  
has accepted a position as lecturer  
insanity at Yale and hereafter  
make his residence in New Haven.

Thomas Hill, a Lawrenceville (N.  
farmer, has trained a bull to run  
treadmill that pumps water, cut  
hutter and does all of that kind  
work. The bull, Hill says, beat  
windmill or gasoline engine "all  
pieces," and the work prevents  
from doing damage with his horns.

At Rock Island, Ill., recently Fre-  
derick Weyerhaeuser, the St. Paul lin-  
er captain, celebrated with his  
golden wedding in the presence  
of 100 descendants. When Weyer-  
haeuser married he was a day laborer.  
He is the largest individual owner  
standing timber in the United States.  
He is supposed to be worth over \$1,  
000,000.

## A Wrong Diagnosis.

The small boy with the big bu-  
dy of papers was observed to be mol-  
ing some of his stock in the su-  
permarket.

"Ah, my lad," said a benevolent  
gentleman, "it does me good to  
see such an illustration of cleanliness."  
"What do yer mean, boss?" a  
the boy as he stared up in wonder  
"Why, aren't you trying to  
the mud spots off the edge of  
papers?"

"No, boss, you are way off.  
see, some of these papers is two w  
old, an' if I dampen 'em up a bit  
they will think they are just for  
me an' never think of lookin' a  
date. Good grief, old sport!  
some day when I am a captain o  
dustry I'll give you a job."

But the benevolent old gentle-  
man had died.—Boston Post.

## Tool of Many Uses.

During the recent army man-  
oeuvres the French troops were using for  
first time an instrument which for  
reason of adaptation probably ap-  
proaches to a record. It is a kind of cor-  
dage shaft, or gouge, about  
inches broad at the base and w  
handle about twelve inches long.  
instrument is a shovel, a pointed  
trenching pick, a wire cutter, a  
chopper and can be used for break-  
ing meat.—London Globe.

## Strait of a Tunnel.

In Edinboro there is a derelict  
way tunnel nearly a mile long  
has been put to the strange u-  
sage of growing mushrooms. The portal  
furnished with doors, and one li  
rails has been removed to make  
for the beds, but the other trac  
mainly to facilitate the dispatch o  
mushrooms in trucks.—Wide A  
Magazine.

## Shakespeare Notwithstanding.

"Is there anything in a name?"  
quired the man with mouse e-  
ars. "You can bet that there  
Name a boy Sturgesant or Van  
seizer or Gouverneur and he'll  
hold anything but a first class  
Nobody will ever dare ask him to  
windows or mop floors. And b-  
time he's forty he'll be head  
trust company and director in  
seven prominent concerns. Oh,  
there's a heap in a name, lemme  
you."—Washington Herald.

## FANCY.

FANCY can cure or kill. It hath  
up  
Wounds when the balsam could n-  
without  
the art of nature. Oh, think how  
cure.  
—William Caxton

## MODERATION.

HAVE more than thou shalt  
speak, but thou shalt  
Lead less than thou shalt  
Do more than thou shalt  
—Aesop



